

Remarks

Claims 1, 2, 6, 8-13, 15, 16, 18 and 19 are canceled.

Claims 3, 4, 14, 17 and 20 are currently amended.

New claims 21-31 are added.

Claims 3-5, 7, 14, 17 and 20-31 are present in this continuation application.

The specification is amended to make reference to the parent.

The limits of original claims 9, 10 and 15 are incorporated into independent claim 3.

Further, the claims are amended so that the pigment component is now selected from the group consisting of quinacridone pigments, disazo condensation pigments, isoindolinone pigments, Pigment Yellow 139 and Pigment Violet 37 and certain diketopyrrolopyrrole (DPP) pigments. Support is found on page 4 of the specification, last full paragraph, and original claim 19.

Claim 3 is further amended by restricting R₆ to certain definitions and to add further provisos for where R₅ is methyl or hydrogen. Support is found on page 4 of the specification, first and third paragraphs.

Claim 14 is amended to be a composition claim and to depend on claim 3. The limitation of claim 15 is also incorporated into claim 14.

Claim 17 is amended to delete the term "the partially crystalline plastic".

Claim 20 is amended to depend on claim 3 and to have certain definitions for R₇ and R₈. Support is found in the specification, page 5, first full paragraph.

Support for new claim 21 is found in the specification on page 5, first full paragraph.

Support for new claims 22-31 is found in the specification of page 8, fourth full paragraph.

No new matter is added with the present amendments.

Favorable consideration of the present claims on their merits is respectfully awaited.

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